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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.: 10/790,365	:	Examiner: Edna Wong
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For: IRON-PHOSPHORUS ELECTROPLATING BATH AND METHOD

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 24 JUNE 2008**

VIA EFS  
M/S AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Reply is filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office in the above-identified application on 24 June 2008 for which a three month period for response was given. Accordingly, this paper is timely filed, and no fees are believed to be required.

Consideration of the application and the claims on the merits are requested in view of the Amendments to the Claims starting on page 2 of this paper, and the Remarks beginning on page 6 of this paper.